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Routine Screening for Distress, Depression and Anxiety in Oncology: Where Are We Now?

Message from the Guest Editors

Psychological distress, depression and anxiety are prevalent among cancer patients, significantly impacting their quality of life, treatment adherence and overall outcomes. Despite growing recognition of the importance of routine screening for these conditions, implementation remains inconsistent across oncology practices. Barriers such as limited resources, the lack of standardized protocols and insufficient training for healthcare providers often hinder effective screening and intervention. This Special Issue aims to explore the current state of routine screening for distress, depression and anxiety in oncology settings.

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